CHAPTER NO. 120

HOUSE BILL NO. 26

By Representatives Chumney, Kent, Ralph Cole

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 249

By Senator Kyle

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-107, relative to the payment of fees, fines, court costs and other charges to government officials by credit card.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-107(a), is amended by deleting the following language:
 - (a) The state, county or municipal court clerk responsible for the collection of fees, fines, court costs or other charges is hereby authorized to:

and by substituting instead the following:

- (a) The state, county or municipal court clerk and county clerk responsible for the collection of fees, fines, court costs or other charges is hereby authorized to:
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-107, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:
 - (f) The county clerk collecting a fee or charge under this chapter shall state on any notice to the taxpayer either the percentage of the processing fee or the fee itself.
- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-21-107, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:
 - (f) The county clerk collecting a fee or charge under this chapter shall state on any notice to the taxpayer either the percentage of the processing fee for use of a credit card or the actual fee imposed for the use of a credit card.
- SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 29, 1999

DIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 12th day of May 1999

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